## **FACTS ABOUT**

# The Tire Inflation Regulation

Rule to Reduce Greenhouse Gas Emissions from Vehicles Operating with Under Inflated Tires.

## What is the Tire Inflation Regulation?

Beginning September 1, 2010, all Automotive Service Providers are required to check and inflate each vehicle's tires to the recommended tire pressure rating at the time of performing any automotive maintenance or repair service.

## What are the Benefits of Properly Inflated Tires?

By maintaining proper tire pressure, Californians will:

- Eliminate 700,000 metric tons of greenhouse gas emissions;
- Reduce the State's fuel consumption by 75 million gallons;
- Extend the average tire's useful life by 4,700 miles.

## Did You Know Checking You Tires Monthly Can;

- Save you money
- Improve fuel efficiency
- · Increase tire tread life
- Reduce pollution
- · Improve safety

## **Did You Know**

- California law requires gas stations to provide free compressed air when you purchase gas?
- Only 19% of consumers properly check and inflate their tires?
- On average, tires lose one pound of pressure per month?

#### For More Information

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